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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

TOMARI et al.

CONFIRMATION NO. **5221**

Application No.: 10/041,586

Examiner: UNKNOWN

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Attorney Dkt. No.: 107348-00191

For: **ELECTROMAGNETIC CLUTCH STRUCTURE IN DRIVING FORCE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM**

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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Washington, D.C. 20231  
**ATTN - BOX MISSING PARTS**

April 8, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated February 7, 2002 (copy attached), the following are enclosed:

- ☒ **\$130.00** as payment of the surcharge for the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- ☐ \$\_\_\_\_\_ as payment for the [small entity] filing fee;
- ☐ \$\_\_\_\_\_ as payment for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time;
- ☒ Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- ☐ Originally-executed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
- ☐ Verified Translation of the Application [with a Preliminary Amendment]; and
- ☐ Other.

Applicants(s) are also enclosing the following:

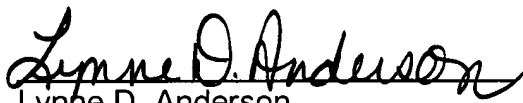
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449, \_\_\_\_\_ refs. [and a search report];

☐ A Submission of Priority Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_ along with  
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The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge that all of the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §111 have been met.

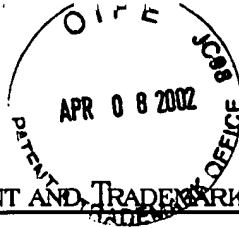
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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